The Scuttlebutt

The Official Publication of the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club







Cover Photo

This month's cover photo was taken on last month's tour to Amish Country at Berlin, Ohio. It features one of the many beautiful cars belonging to a member of the Oakleaf Region of MARC from Oakland County, Michigan.

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The Chief's **Corner**

Hello Everyone!

Can you believe how swiftly summer is flying by? We have lots to do, as we are in the throngs of our fun times taking our cars out and visiting different areas. I can't say thank you enough to Spencer and Jenny Cheek for planning our first overnight trip in many years! The top notch planning and preparation for a wonderful 3 night trip was superb! We all have the common love of these old cars, but more importantly are the friendships that are formed along the way!

We have so many great things happening, importantly is the addition of four new members this month! Welcome aboard to Bradley Robinson, Darren Robinson, David Graney and Keith Roshon! We all are looking forward to meeting you and offer our help whenever needed.

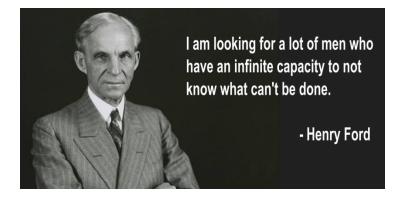
The July tech meeting should be quite interesting with a plethora of knowledge being shared and discussed at Davis's garage in Granville. So everyone, be prepared for us all to get to know each other better and to walk away from it learning some valuable information.

Lastly I want to mention that there might (probably) be some adjustments in the remaining calendar and we will let you know as soon as we can. I'm sure Henry Ford would be proud to see us all touring, enjoying parades, car shows, loving and sharing our A's the way we do! He however would never in a million years believe that it costs nearly five dollars a gallon for gas, especially considering back in 1930 the price was .20 cents a gallon! Safe travels!

Ahooga!



July Birthdays Wayne Davis Lou Ardit Rita Baker Jerry Dunn Jim Jones Doug Jones Jerrold Fields Rick Lindner Violet Morrison Steve Rohner



Our Next Meeting

July 6th, 2022 DATE:

TIME: 7:00 pm

PLACE: Davis's Garage

LOCATION: 117 Balbriggan Lane

Granville, Ohio

TOPIC: Meet the Membership

Group Discussion

DIRECTIONS:

- 1. Take I-270 around to the east side and take I-70 East.
- 2. Take I-70 East for 14 miles to exit 122 (St. Rt. 158, Kirkersville).
- 3. Take St. Rt. 158 north for 4.5 miles to Deeds Road SW.
- 4. Go east on Deeds Road SW for 2 miles.
- **5.** Turn south on Balbriggan Lane.
- Davis's Garage will be on the left.

Additional Information:

Be sure to bring a chair to sit on.



Barbara Weaver





On the 16th of this month, Wayne Davis will be leading the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club on a tour over to New Bremen, Ohio to visit the Bicycle Museum of America. The museum is one of the largest private collections of bicycles in the world, with over 200 bicycles on display and over 900 bicycles in their total collection. We will be departing for the tour at 9:30 a.m. from the parking lot of the Der Dutchman Restaurant located at 445 South Jefferson Avenue in Plain City, Ohio. Due to the lack of restaurants in the area, this will be a "Brown Bag Lunch" tour. Everyone will need to pack their own lunch and bring their own drinks. We will be stopping at a shelter house in New Bremen to eat our lunch. We will also be stopping for ice cream on the way home in Anna, Ohio. This is sure to be a fun tour that you will not want to miss. Be sure to mark your calendars and save the date!

Scioto Model "A" Ford Club

June Tech Meet

On June 1st, the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club held their monthly Tech Meet at Rick Lindner's Ford Garage. There was another great turnout this month with around 24 members present, which included a couple of our new members. After President Rohner completed the business portion of the meeting, the 50/50 drawing was held with Dick Liston winning the pot. The membership then enjoyed some pizza while Rick Lindner did a power point presentation on the Selden Patent Lawsuit. This was another very good presentation by Rick. A big "Thank You" goes out to Rick for allowing us to meet at his garage, picking up the pizza for the club and doing the presentation. Our next meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 6th, at the Davis Garage, located at 117 Balbriggan Lane, Granville, Ohio.

Scioto Model "A" Ford Club





THE GILMORE CAR MUSEUM

Hickory Corners, Michigan

Pat Liston



Secretary's Report for June

SECRETARY

Our June meeting was a hit. Thank you, Rick, for holding it at your garage. Your presentation on the Selden Patent lawsuit against Henry Ford was remarkably interesting and informative. Our members learned a great deal.

President Rohner thanked Dan and Kathy for hosting last month's meeting. She also thanked Rick for holding this months' meeting. Jaci informed everyone that our next meeting will be at Wayne Davis's son's Garage located at 117 Balbriggan Lane, Granville, Ohio. She then welcomed David Graney, a new member that joined just before the meeting. Also attending was another new member, Jeremy Latsko. Glad you both could make our meeting.

Vice President Davis said at the next tech meeting he would like everyone to give a twominute story about their car, how long they have had it, what help they would be willing to give other members and what help they might need as well.

Sunshine Director Kathy Bickley didn't have anything to report at this time. Please remember, if you know of anyone that is sick or in the hospital, be sure to let Kathy know so she can have cards sent where needed.

President Rohner thanked Allan Goldhardt for doing our newsletter. He does a terrific job, and we appreciate his challenging work. Seems MARC thinks so as well. President Rohner shared a plaque with the membership that Marc awarded him for the "Best Newsletter Cover for 2021".

Secretary Liston passed out name badges to the new members that were present. She reminded everyone to pick up a copy of the new roster booklet before they left. She also informed everyone that everything is ready for our Berlin Tour later in the month. Spencer Cheek has contacted everyone with the meet-up information and an itinerary for the days we will be there. Secretary Liston said that she brought a cake to celebrate everyone's birthday for the month of June. So, we had cake to go along with the pizza that Rick provided.

Jaci then turned the meeting over to Rick Lindner. He gave a presentation on the Selden Patent lawsuit against Henry Ford, which was remarkably interesting and informative. Our members learned a great deal.

We had a great trip to Holmes County. We had 6 Model A's from our club and one modern car to start with. By Saturday, we gained more Model A's. We had over 20 people from our group. With the other two groups, we had a total of 26 Model "A"s, counting the 3 that were trailered. The weather could not have been better if it tried. The doughnut run was a big hit and the tours were enjoyed by all. Some of us even got some shopping done. Jaci brought a great game we all played, Allan won a prize for eating the most doughnuts, and we gave Jenni and Spencer a Thank You gift and card the morning we left for all of their hard work for organizing such a great trip. Thank you Spencer and Jenni.

Please see the calendar in this newsletter for more to come. Have a Great Day!

2022 SCIOTO MODEL "A" FORD CLUB SCHEDULE

July

6th - <u>Tech Meet - 7:00 pm</u> *
Davis's Garage
117 Balbriggan Lane, Granville

16th - <u>Bicycle Museum Tour</u>*
New Bremen

21st & 22nd - <u>Silent Movie Nights</u> 39 E. State Street, Columbus

August

3rd - <u>Tech Meet – 7:00 pm</u> *
Howard Turner's Garage
4191 Fredericksburg Ave, Columbus
(Desert Night)

17th – 19th MARC National Tour Bark River, Michigan

19th & 20th Arthritis Car Show Dublin

26th - Airstream Factory Tour *
Jackson Center

September

7th - <u>Tech Meet - 7:00 pm</u> *
Henry Street Garage
82 Henry Street, Ostrander

17th - *TBD* *

October

1st - <u>Tech Meet - 7:00 pm</u> *
Steve Rohner's Garage
7083 St. Rt. 142 SE, West Jefferson
(Cookout)

30th - Fall Foliage Tour *
Fairfield County

November

2nd - Dinner Meeting – 7:00 pm *
Big Walnut Grill
175 St. Rt. 3, Sunbury

11th - <u>Veterans Day Parade</u>*
Delaware

<u>December</u>

3rd - Christmas Party – 12:00 noon Granville Inn 314 East Broadway, Granville

* Points Events



Silent Movie Nights



After a two year hiatus, our club will once again be taking part in the CAPA Summer Movie Series. On July 21st and 22nd we are invited to the Ohio Theatre to be part of their Silent Movie Nights event. On both nights, they will reserve parking at their front door for our Model "A"s. You should plan on arriving around 6:00 pm. Parking is limited, so we may also be parking directly across the street. Organist Clark Wilson will provide pre-show entertainment starting at 7:00 p.m. The movie will begin at 7:30 p.m. This year's silent movie will be the 1923 production of "Our Hospitality" featuring Buster Keaton, Natalie Talmadge and Joe Keaton. All club members bringing their Model "A" will be provided free admission to the movie. Club members may attend both nights if they choose. This is the perfect place to showcase our old cars under the lights of the historic Ohio Theatre marquee.

Scioto Model "A" Ford Club Amish Country Tour



Last month, the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club took an overnight tour to the heart of Amish country in Berlin, Ohio. Our tour started on Thursday morning in Ashville, Ohio with four Model "A"s. Spencer Cheek led us up to Utica, Ohio for lunch. On the way, we picked up a fifth Model "A". In Utica, we met up with another club, the Model "A" Drivers of East Central Ohio. They had six Model "A"s in their group. After lunch, we made a quick stop at Phil Stalling's Classic Cars in Utica to check out what he had on the lot for sale. From there, eleven Model "A"s headed toward Berlin. At the hotel, we were joined by a third club, the Oakleaf Region, out of Oakland County, Michigan. The Scioto Model "A" Ford Club had great representation for the weekend. We had additional members drive up and join us on Friday and on Saturday. Our club ended up with a total of 10 Model "A"s and 22 members and guests in attendance. The three clubs combined had a total of 26 Model "A"s and over 45 people in attendance. Over the weekend, we took doughnut tours every morning, toured the Holmes Broom company, Stutzman's Wheel Shop, visited the Age of Steam Roundhouse and took in a concert at the Star Theater on Saturday night. We went to numerous Amish restaurants and had ample time to do some shopping as well. The best part of the weekend was getting to spend time with the members from our club as well as the other clubs out on the front porch of the hotel. This was a great tour packed with wonderful memories. A big "Thank You" goes out to Spencer and Jenni Cheek for all of their time and effort in organizing one of the best tours our club has ever taken.

> Editor Scioto Model "A" Ford Club



A few of the many choices that was available on one of our morning "Donut Runs".



Catching up with friends on the front porch of the hotel.



The entrance to Holmes Broom Company.



Brooms drying in the back room prior to being sewn and cut.



Dried brooms being sewn.



President Rohner taking a ride on a 3-wheeler.



Brooms being cut to their final shape.



A beautiful sunset in Tuscarawas County, Ohio.





The wooden spoke lathe turns four spokes at the same time.



Model "A"s parked at the Stutzman's Wheel Shop.



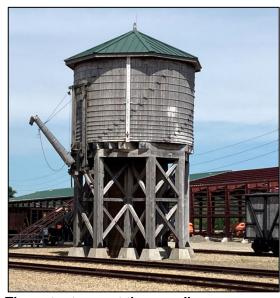
A wooden spoke wheel being assembled.



Here are a few of our hungry club members getting ready to order dinner at the Berlin Farmstead Restaurant.



One of the many steam locomotives at the Age of Steam Roundhouse.



The water tower at the roundhouse.



The huge doors at the Age of Steam Roundhouse are balanced in such a manner that they can be opened and closed with a gentle push of the hand.



A group photo from the Age of Steam Roundhouse in Sugarcreek, Ohio.



Club members & guests enjoying dinner at Mrs. Yoder's Kitchen.



Saturday night concert featuring the Beatles tribute band "The Return".



All of us getting together Sunday morning and saying our goodbyes.

MAFFI Newsletter Minute

Model "A" Days - Model "A" Driving School

Registration for this event has been light so far. Each student will have ample attention and anybody who does sign up should be in for a real treat. Jerry Morrissey attended the Model "T" Driving School at the Gilmore on June 9, looking for insight and ideas for the Model "A" Driving School being offered Friday September 16, 2022, at Model "A" Days. He came away very excited about parts of their program that had not been discussed for our program. Jerry explained, "The Model "T"s took a short drive to learn forward and reverse with each driver. Then they took a longer drive to experience shifting into high gear. Lastly, they finished with a mile long drive along the private road towards Gull Lake utilizing both gears, stopping and turning around. For the Model "A"s, we can do something similar with a short, medium, and longer drive." While nothing is set in cement at this time, adding a one-mile scenic drive on a private road in one of the several cars or trucks being offered for the class would be exciting, no matter what your previous driving experience is. Enrolling in the Model "A" Driving School is done by registering on-line at:

Www.Maffi.org

Model "A" Youth News!

PASADENA HIGH SCHOOL MODEL A FORD CLUB

The Pasadena High School Model "A" Ford Club (PHSMAC) is dedicated to the restoration, preservation, and enjoyment of Ford vehicles manufactured between 1928 -1931. Pasadena High School is the first high school club of this type anywhere in the nation, part of the largest club in the world dedicated to one make of automobile.

In our four-year history, the majority of our students have been females, who



typically outperform their male counterparts. Students receive no academic credit and attend club meetings after school hours. While competing with other extracurricular activities, the Model "A" Club continues to be one of the most popular on campus. Students develop a unique sense of belonging - while gaining a working knowledge of the Model "A" engine, transmission, upholstery, body preparation, and painting.

The club is sponsored by the Pasadena area Santa Anita A's Model "A" Ford Club. The club is comprised of over 127 families who own more than 100 Model "A" Ford cars.









NATIONAL EVENTS

2022 MARC National Tour

August 17th – 19th
Bark River, Michigan

Host Hotel

ISLAND RESORT AND CASINO

W. 399 US 2 & 41 Harris, Michigan

Mon - Thur \$80 per night Fri - Sat \$119 per night

800-682-6040

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3 MAGNIFICENT DAYS TOURING MICHIGAN'S UPPER PENINSULA IN YOUR MODEL A!



We Have New Members!!!

I would like to welcome our newest members to the club, brothers Bradley & Darren Robinson of Galloway, Keith Roshon of Marysville, and David & Carolyn Graney of Hilliard. Bradley & Darren are working on a 1929 Sports Coupe. Keith currently

has a 1930 Woodie Wagon, 1931 Roadster with a Rumble Seat and a 1930 Rat Rod Pick-up truck. David & Carolyn are still looking around, but have not yet decided on what they exactly want.

Welcome to the Club!

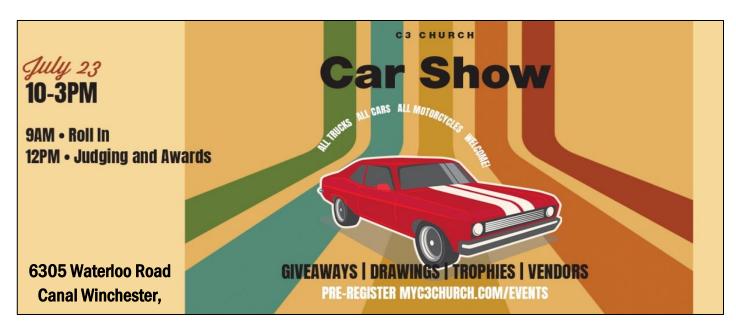
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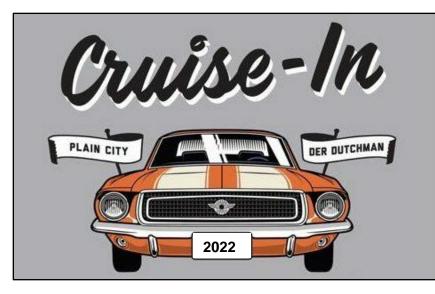
Scioto Model "A" Ford Club member Marc Gould is looking for a starting crank for his late-1929 car. The correct crank has a 13/16" lug nut hex end, 5/8" deep socket, and 90-degree offset pins. This style crank was used from mid-1928 to late 1929. If you have one for sale, please call Marc at 614-451-8893 or email him at:

marcohio@breezelineohio.net

LOCAL EVENTS







Every Thursday

May 5 - September 29

5 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Door Prizes
Hot Sandwiches
Homemade Ice Cream



BACKYARD TECH TIP



DO YOU HAVE AN

ELECTRIC METER?

A multi-meter is a handy and usually inexpensive tool to have around the shop and in your Model "A" tool box. But, most digital multi-meters do not like the electrical "noise" produced by the "A"s generator brushes. The test leads act as antennas and the meter gives some erratic readings as a result. Stick with the old analog meter for your old Model "A" charging system.



Bruce Haynes Old dominion Model "A" Ford Club

"A" Word on Fashion

Did Women Wear Pants in the 1920s? Yes! Sort of.... (part 4)

Women's knickers were made of grey or tan serge, linen, tweed, or denim cloth often with pressed center legs, cuffs below the knee that fasted with buttons and a waistband that fastened with buttons on the side. Slash pockets on either side of the crotch line added more style than functionality to the design.

In the late 1920s, corduroy velour became another fabric choice for knickers, complete with matching corduroy sports shirt. The new matching ensemble was much more fashionable than practical, and women appreciated wearing the casual sporty look without needing to play a sport.



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FLAPPER of the MONTH





This month we feature Dolores del Rio. Delores was a Mexican actress with a career spanning more than 50 years. After being discovered in Mexico, she began her film career in Hollywood in 1925. She had her first leading role in 1926 and soared to stardom in 1928. Delores came to be considered a sort of feminine version of Rudolph Valentino in her years during the "silent" era. Her career continued to rise with the arrival of sound. Dolores returned to Mexico in 1942. Her Hollywood career was over, and a romance with Orson Welles--who later called her "the most exciting woman I've ever met"--caused her second divorce. When Del Río returned to her native country, she became one of the more important stars of the Golden Age of Mexican cinema. Del Río remained active mainly in Mexican films throughout the 1950s. In 1960 she returned to Hollywood. During the next few years, she appeared in Mexican and American films. From the late 1950s until the early 1970s, she also successfully ventured into theater in Mexico and appeared in some American TV series. On April 11, 1983, Dolores del Río died from liver failure at the age of 78 in Newport Beach, California. It is said that on the day she died, an invitation to attend the Oscars had been sent to her.

